CAMPUS HEALTH & WELLBEING

Student Health Center (Bldg. 27)
http://chw.calpoly.edu

Campus Health & Wellbeing supports student success through timely, holistic care and the promotion of lasting wellness. A variety of services are offered for students including primary medical care and walk-in medical services, laboratory testing, onsite X-rays, prescription medications, individual and group mental health counseling, health education programs, and wellbeing services. Campus Health & Wellbeing assists students by minimizing class time lost due to illness, injury, or personal concerns. The Health Services Fee, built into the tuition, covers most of these services. An After-Hours Nurse Advice Line and a Psychological Crisis Line are available at no cost when the Student Health Center is closed. Students may reach the After-Hours Nurse Advice Line by calling the regular Health Center’s phone number (805.756.1211). The Psychological Crisis Line may be accessed by calling the regular Counseling Services phone number (805.756.2511).

Health Services: Phone: 805.756.1211 (24/7 Advice Nurse Line)
Counseling Services Phone: 805.756.2511 (24/7 Crisis Line)
Wellbeing Services Phone: 805.756.6181
Safer (Sexual Assault Advocacy): 805.756.2282

Counseling Services promotes the development of holistic student emotional health. As mental health professionals, the department serves the campus community through advocacy and the provision of confidential, accessible services. Counseling Services helps students develop and maintain the skills integral to mental health through hands-on workshops; individual, couples and group therapy; crisis intervention; consultations with parents, faculty, and staff; and, mental health trainings. All of these services are included in the Health Services Fee. For more details, visit http://counseling.calpoly.edu.

Wellbeing Services offers evidenced-based prevention education and programming to support the holistic well-being of students. Led by a team of professional staff, the wellbeing team trains students to be Certified Peer Health Educators in the PULSE Program (Peers Understanding Listening Supporting Educating) and offers professional services including advocacy and recovery support to provide a safe and inclusive community for students.

• Safer Advocacy provides individual crisis advocacy for students experiencing sexual violence, dating violence, intimate partner violence and stalking. Services are provided by state-certified advocates.

• Individual Health Education consultations can be scheduled with a Health Educator or certified peer health educator to discuss various health topics, resources and strategies to manage stress, alcohol and drug use, physical health and emotional health.

• Recovery support programming is available for students with a history of addiction. Students can join the Mustangs for Recovery program to build their community of support. Allies are welcome!

• Prevention, Education & Outreach programming including workshops, wellness fairs and alternative programs are a great way for students to learn healthy habits and build their community.

• The Cal Poly Food Pantry is a part of the Hunger Program and is available for students in financial need of healthy nutritious food.